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SUBJECT: OCTOBER MACHINERY ORDERS

NEW PRIVATE MACHINERY ORDERS IN OCT FELL TO ABOUT THIS YEAR'S AVERAGE LEVELS, FOLLOWING SURGE IN SEPT. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED MACHINERY ORDERS EXCLUDING SHIPS (JEI 337) DECLINED BY 22.2 PERCENT, VIRTUALLY ALL ACCOUNTED FOR BY SHARP DROP IN ORDERS PLACED BY ELECTRIC POWER INDUSTRY, WHICH IN FIRST NINE MONTHS THIS YEAR ACCOUNTED FOR 30 PERCENT OF ALL ORDERS PLACED BY PRIVATE FIRMS. IN OCT, ORDERS PLACED BY MANUFACTURNING FIRMS ROSE 6 PERCENT, TO REGISTER FIRST INCREASE IN FIVE MONTHS.

NEW PRIVATE MACHINERY ORDERS, EXCLUDING SHIPS, S.A.

QUARTERLY DATA: (MONTHLY AVG)

PERCENT CHANGE

BILL YEN FROM PRIOR PERIOD

1975 OCT-DEC 190.9 MIN 4.7 1976 JAN-MAR 272.5 42.7

APR-JUNE 239.0 MIN 12.3

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JUL-SEP 245.5 2.7

## MONTHLY DATA:

AUG 198.1 MIN 10.6 SEP 316.9 60.0 OCT 246.6 MIN 22.2

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